

part of the set data, to be confirmed or changed by the user, the at least part of the set data

being stored in a storage region;

then, originating at least one of print data necessary for printing by the printer and control data for controlling the printer, the control data being originated on the basis of the at least part of the set data stored in the storage region; and

outputting at least one of the originated print data and the originated control data to the printer.

2. (Amended) The process defined in claim 1, wherein the displaying step of the second window is executed in accordance with a print setting program, an instruction for starting the program being stored in the set data.

3. (Amended) The process defined in claim 1, and further comprising a step of updating the second window displayed on the display when the at least part of the set data is changed by the user.

4. (Amended) The process defined in claim 1, wherein the printer has a plurality of discharge positions and can discharge a printer paper to a discharge position specified previously; the at least part of the set data includes the discharge positions; the specified discharge position is displayed on the second window; the originated control data includes the data which represent the discharge positions; and the control data is outputted to the printer prior to the print data.

5. (Amended) The process defined in claim 4, wherein the displaying step of the second window involves changing the discharge position into another discharge position and updating the changed discharge position.

6. (Amended) The process defined in claim 4, wherein the displaying step of the second window involves displaying the plurality of discharge positions of the printer on the display.

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7. (Amended) The process defined in claim 4, wherein the displaying step of the second window further includes confirming whether the discharge position has been updated after the specified discharge position is displayed on the display.

9. (Amended) A printing process for a printer, the process comprising the steps of:

displaying a first window on a display, the first window indicating a set data for the printer, to be confirmed or changed by a user;

displaying a second window different from the first window on the display based on a setting set by the user on the first window, the second window indicating at least part of the set data, to be confirmed or changed by the user, the at least part of the set data being stored in a storage region;

then, outputting to the printer, print data for printing by the printer and control data for controlling the printer, the control data including the at least part of the set data which has been confirmed or changed by the user.

10. (Amended) A printing processor for a printer, the processor comprising:
a memory;
print data originating means for originating print data necessary for printing by the printer;

control data origination means for originating, on the basis of set data stored previously in the memory, control data for controlling the printer;

output means for outputting at least one of the originated print data and the set data to the printer;

a display for displaying a first window which indicates the set data for being confirmed or changed by a user, and a second window which is different from the first window and indicates at least part of the set data for being confirmed or changed by the user;

~~a setting means for setting to display the second window; and~~
~~control means for controlling the display so as to display the second window~~
~~on the display based on the setting set by the setting means before the print data or the control~~
~~data originated.~~

16. (Amended) ~~The processor defined in claim 12, wherein the plurality of~~
~~dischargers are shown on the second window.~~

17. (Amended) A printing system comprising:
 a printing unit;
 a memory;
 print data originating means for originating print data necessary for printing by
 the printing unit;
 control data origination means for originating, on the basis of set data stored
 previously in the memory, control data necessary for controlling the printing unit;
 output means for outputting at least one of the originated print data and the set
 data to the printing unit;
 a display for displaying a first window which indicates the set data for being
 confirmed or changed by a user, and a second window which is different from the first
 window and indicates at least part of the set data for being confirmed or changed by the user;
 a setting means for setting to display the second window; and
 control means connected to the printing unit, the display and memory for
 controlling the display so as to display the second window on the display based on the setting
 set by the setting means before the print data or the control data originated.

19. (Amended) ~~A recording medium in which a printer driver program is~~
~~recorded, the program causing a computer to execute the steps of:~~

~~displaying a first window on a display, the first window indicating a set data~~
for the printer, to be confirmed or changed by a user;

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displaying a second window different from the first window on the display
based on a setting set by the user on the first window, the second window indicating at least
part of the set data, to be confirmed or changed by the user, the at least part of the set data
being stored in a storage region;

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originating at least one of print data necessary for printing by the printer and
control data for controlling the printer, the control data being originated on the basis of the at
least part of the set data stored in the storage region; and

outputting at least one of the originated print data and the originated control
data to the printer.

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20. (Amended) ~~A printing processor which is connected to a printer, a memory~~
and a display for displaying a first window indicating set data of the printer, which is stored
in the memory, the processor comprising:

a printer driver for driving the printer and setting the set data;

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print setting means for setting at least part of the set data and controlling the
display to display a second window which is different from the first window and indicates the
at least part of the set data;

updating means for updating the at least part of the set data stored in the
memory through the printer driver or the print setting means; and

controlling means for controlling the print setting means such that the display
displays on the second window the at least part of the set data updated by the updating means,
when the at least part of the set data has been updated through the printer driver,

wherein the first and second windows are confirmable and changeable
windows by a printer user.